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BY COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 3102)

(As Amended and Passed by the Senate February 28, 2018)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the criminal offense of child endangerment
2 by prohibiting a sex offender access to a child or certain
3 minors, and providing penalties.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 726.6, Code 2018, is amended by adding
2 the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 1A. A person who knowingly takes custody
4 or control over a child or minor, or who knowingly has
5 unsupervised access to a child or a minor while the person is
6 required to register as a sex offender under chapter 692A,
7 commits child endangerment. However, this subsection does not
8 apply to a person who is a parent or guardian of a child or a
9 minor who is required to register as a sex offender, or to a
10 person who is married to and living with a person required to
11 register as a sex offender.

12 Sec. 2. Section 726.6, subsection 3, unnumbered paragraph
13 1, Code 2018, is amended to read as follows:

14 For the purposes of subsection 1 or 1A, ~~"person having~~
15 ~~control~~ "control over a child or a minor" means any of the
16 following: